



# BIOGRAPHY

## UNITED STATES TRANSPORTATION COMMAND

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### Bruce A. Busler

Bruce A. Busler was selected to the Senior Executive Service in October 2010 to serve as the U.S. Transportation Command Joint Distribution Process Analysis Center (JDPAC) director and the Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC) Transportation Engineering Agency (TEA) executive director.

In his role as the director, JDPAC, Busler develops a strategy to analytically support the broad needs of USTRANSCOM, Component Commands, Combatant Commands and the Services. He directs a joint team of analysts, engineers, transportation specialists, and computer scientists which includes Air Mobility Command Directorate of Analyses, Assessments and Lessons Learned (A9), as well as SDDCTEA, to provide assessments of future transportation capabilities, joint analysis to inform mobility programmatic decisions, and analytically driven deployment and distribution courses of action to move and sustain the joint force.



As the TEA Executive Director, Mr. Busler is designated as executive-level representative for the Department of Defense (DOD) on all transportation engineering matters for common-user transportation infrastructure and capabilities. Additionally, he manages the DOD Engineering for Transportability Program to ensure military equipment can be securely and safely transported on all modes of transportation. Mr. Busler also serves as the Special Assistant for Transportation Engineering to implement DOD policy guidance for highway, railroad, and ports for national defense programs.

Mr. Busler is a 2015 recipient of the Presidential Rank Award Meritorious Executive, the highest award for career executives and senior professionals in the federal government.

### EDUCATION

1996 Master of Science, national resource strategy, National Defense University, Fort McNair, Washington D.C.  
1987 Master of Science, systems engineering, Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio  
1979 Bachelor of Science, engineering mechanics (honor graduate), United States Air Force Academy, Colo.

### CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. 2006 – 2010, Program manager/senior business process analyst, Dynamics Research Corporation supporting USTRANSCOM J5/4, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
2. 2004 – 2005, Vice Commander, 15th Expeditionary Mobility Task Force, Travis Air Force Base, Calif.
3. 2003 – 2004, Vice Commander, C-5 pilot, 436th Airlift Wing, Dover Air Force Base, Del.
4. 2001 – 2003, Commander, C-21/C-9 pilot, 375th Operations Group, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
5. 1998 – 2001, Chief, Mobility Control Center Operations, USTRANSCOM J3, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
6. 1996 – 1998, Commander, T-1 evaluator pilot, 48th Flying Training Squadron, Columbus Air Force Base, Miss.

7. 1993 – 1995, Chief, C-17 operational test manager; Air Mobility Command, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
8. 1991 – 1993, Operations officer, NC-141 evaluator research pilot, 4953d Test Squadron, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio
9. 1987 – 1990, C-17 systems engineer, chief integration engineer for Propulsion, Test, and System Qualification; C-17 System Program Office, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio
10. 1983 – 1986, C-141 instructor aircraft commander, 18th Military Airlift Squadron, McGuire Air Force Base, N.J.
11. 1980 – 1983, T-37 evaluator pilot/instructor pilot, 80th Flying Training Wing, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas
12. 1979 – 1980, Undergraduate Pilot Training, Vance Air Force Base, Okla.

#### **SIGNIFICANT TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE**

2013, APEX Senior Executive Orientation Program  
2005, Deputy Director, CENTCOM Deployment Distribution Operations Center, Camp Arifjan, Kuwait  
2003, Deputy Director of Mobility Forces, Combined Air Operations Center, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar  
1996, Industrial College of the Armed Forces  
1990, Air Command and Staff College (non-residence)  
1984, Marine Corps Command and Staff College (non-residence)  
1985, Squadron Officer School (distinguished graduate)

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Project Management Institute certified Project Management Professional  
DOD certified Acquisition Professional; Level III Program Management, Level III Test & Evaluation and Level II Engineering Management  
Joint Specialty Officer  
USAF Command Pilot with over 3,800 flight hours in airlift and trainer aircraft  
Airline Transport Pilot FAA certification

#### **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Presidential Rank Award Meritorious Executive  
Joint Civilian Service Commendation Award  
Defense Superior Service Medal  
Legion of Merit (1 OLC)  
Meritorious Service Medal (6 OLCs)  
Secretary of Defense Excellence in Leadership Recognition  
Air Education and Training Command Lance P. Sijan Leadership Award, senior officer category

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS**

National Defense Transportation Association

#### **MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

Defense Transportation Journal, "Enterprise Distribution Optimization Comes to Life," December 2010

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